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MacArthur Leadership Award nominations accepted

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HEIDELBERG, Germany - Wanted: Company grade officers and junior warrant officers with the ability to understand and influence others, provide purpose, direction, and motivation to accomplish the mission.

If you know of someone who fits this description, then you can nominate him for the Douglas MacArthur Leadership Award competition. Nominations are now being accepted for the USAREUR level of the competition for calendar year 2004.

The competition was established to recognize company grade officers who demonstrate the ideals for which MacArthur stood: duty, honor, and country. The award promotes and sustains effective junior officer leadership in America's Army.

Nominees must be U.S. Army company grade officers (lieutenant or captain) or junior warrant officers (Warrant Officer 1 or Chief Warrant Officer 2), not on a promotion list to major or Chief Warrant Officer 3, who have passed the Army Physical Fitness Test no more than six months prior to Dec. 31, 2004, and who meet height and weight standards listed in AR 600-9.

Unit personnel officers have details on making nominations. The deadline for nominations from major commands for this year's competition is Dec. 1.

For more information call Capt. Jason Vranes or Capt. Jennifer Charron, 1st Personnel Command, at 379-7629/6440.